

Lojacono

Patrim. 19th March 1880

Dear Sir:

I am much obliged to you for the goodness you have had to forward your Index to me which reached me just at time to use it regarding synonymy of most species. I have already thanked you for the *F. folia* you sent me lately which completed the whole lot of species as reported in your Revision in *Proc. Am. Acad.*, XI. 1876. Since that time I have continued my work. I find a new species in the specimen you sent me lately collected by Percy Palmer in their voyage from "S. Louis de Tolosa to San Pedro" without name bearing only a number written by you on the label. which perhaps may have some reference to the same number in your herbaria. I have named the same *F. gonio carpum*. I have a great interest that you may easily get acquaintance with these new species as *F. potosanum* n. sp. *F. Hemslayi* n. sp. and *F. gonio carpum*. which are very distinct species and which I don't wonder if you had not looked exactly before as I am sure that they were out of the

boundaries of your Flora. If you have not kept a correspondent number of the specimens you may look at the new species on the figures which I have annexed to my work. These species are, in want of better comparison near to *amabile*'s group. (I do not find *amabile* reported in your Index, of course for mistake) there are very far from being so interrelated as those of the *involueratum*'s group.

I have been able now to distinguish
F. aciculare *F. spinulosum* *F. variegatum*
F. serr. *F. tridentatum* *involueratum*
F. polyphyllum (since long time as being
very distinct species) *F. pinn.*
obovatum which is surely the same
as *F. involueratum* -

If you please, a last favour, could
you send me a capitule of *F. barbi-*
gerum var *Andreivsii*? I hope that
this will reach in time to give me
some light on the species which I
received under such name and which is
very different from *barbigerum*, and
which I called *F. Grobyi*. My
specimen is collected by Kellogg -

Could you send me at your best
time one specimen with ripe capsules
of *Orobanchaceae* of *Arrenea*?

I have *Euphygus Obolaria*, but nothing
else, nevertheless good fruits of same, & this
will not give you trouble will be most acceptable
I am very sorry that my papers didn't
reach you though I had expressly written
U.S.America and Cambridge. I send
two copies of each one for you, the other one
for Professor Gray.

Thanking you for the good wishes
I am Sir your most obedient
Monsieur

To Prof Sereno Watson
Cambridge